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Nineteenth Sunday of the Year

11th/12th August 2018

Readings: Parish Mass Book Year B, Volume 2: Page 117: 1 Kings 19:4-8; Psalm 33; Ephesians 4:30, 5:2; John 6:41-51

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin: Page 180: Apocalypse 11:19, 12:1-6, 10; Psalm 44; 1 Corinthians 15:20-26; Luke 1:39-56

Next Week: Twentieth Sunday of the Year: Page 120: Proverbs 9:1-6; Psalm 33; Ephesians 5:15-20; John 6:51-58

Pope Francis has a special devotion to Our Lady, Un-doer of Knots. This prayer is particularly dear to him so we reproduce it here to mark the Feast of the Assumption during the week:



“Virgin Mary, Mother of fair love, Mother who never refuses to come to the aid of a child in need, Mother whose hands never cease to serve your beloved children because they are moved by the divine love and immense mercy that exists in your heart, cast your compassionate eyes upon me and see the snarl of knots that exist in my life. You know very well how desperate I am, my pain, and how I am bound by these knots.

Mary, Mother to whom God entrusted the undoing of the knots in the lives of His children, I entrust into your hands the ribbon of my life. No one, not even the Evil One himself, can take it away from your precious care. In your hands, there is no knot that cannot be undone. Powerful Mother, by your grace and intercessory power with your Son and my liberator, Jesus, take into your hands today this knot.
(Mention your petition here).

I beg you to undo it for the glory of God, once and for all. You are my hope. O my Lady, you are the only consolation God gives me, the fortification of my feeble strength, the enrichment of my destitution, and, with Christ, the freedom from my chains.

Hear my plea. Keep me, guide me, protect me, O safe refuge.”

SACRAMENTS

FIRST RECONCILIATION AND FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2019 AND CHILDREN CURRENTLY IN SUNDAY SCHOOL

If you missed returning your application form, there is still time.
Please do so as soon as possible.

PARISH NOTICES

FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN

Wednesday 15th August is a holy day of obligation and Masses will be at 9.30am, 12.15pm and 7.30pm.

ST LAWRENCE SCHOOL CAR PARK

Apologies in advance as there may be disruption to access and parking in the school car park during the summer break. This is due to works being carried out in the school.

THANK YOU

Mary Crawley and Marie Johnston did a car boot sale last weekend and raised £105.00 for the Parish Centre. Thank you ladies.

LINE DANCING

The next Line Dancing session will be on **Monday 13 August** at 7.30pm in the Parish Centre. £4.00 per session. All welcome.

GOAN CHAPLAINCY DAY 2018

This event will take place on **Saturday 25th August** with Mass at 2.30pm at St George's Cathedral, Southwark SE1 7HY. The main celebrant will be Bishop Patrick Lynch Auxiliary Bishop for Southwark. Please see poster on notice board for details of celebrations taking place locally

FIRST DEATH ANNIVERSARY OF CARDINAL CORMAC

On the first anniversary of the death of Cardinal Cormac, **Saturday 1st September**, a memorial Mass will be celebrated at Westminster Cathedral at 12.30pm. Cardinal Vincent will preside and Mgr. Martin Hayes will preach. All are welcome

GOAN ASSOCIATION PILGRIMAGE TO AYLESFORD

A pilgrimage led by the Goan Chaplain, Fr Patrick D'Souza will take place on **Saturday 1st September** to the Friary, Aylesford Priory. The event will take place from 11am until 6pm. Please see poster for details of local pick up points.

CONNECT@FELTHAM

Connect@Feltham provides a safe place for Adults with Intellectual Disabilities who would like to take part in Art, Music and Dance activities as well as learning basic cooking skills. They are now on a summer break returning **September 4th**.

SEPTEMBER 8TH – FEAST OF OUR LADY

Jo and Teresita of the Filipino Community invite you to join them for the **12 noon Mass on September 8th** to celebrate the feast of Our Lady's birthday followed by refreshments, praise and worship in the Parish Centre.

ST LAWRENCE PRAYER GROUP

The Prayer Group are now on their summer break and reconvene on **Thursday 13th September**.

DAY OF REFLECTION FOR EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

A Day of Reflection has been planned for all Eucharistic Ministers for **Saturday 6th October** starting with Mass at 12noon then proceeding to the Parish Centre for talks, reflection and questions. The day will end at 4.30pm. You are welcome to attend the Eucharistic Adoration at 11.00am which finishes with Benediction at 11.30am. There will also be an opportunity for Confession. Please bring a plate of finger food to share. Teas/coffees and soft drinks will be available.

DAY OF REFLECTION FOR READERS

A similar day has been planned for all Readers for **Saturday 10th November** starting with Mass at 12noon then proceeding to the Parish Centre for talks, reflection and back to Church for practice in reading and projection of voice ending at 4.30pm. You are welcome to attend the Eucharistic Adoration at 11.00am which finishes with Benediction at 11.30am. There will also be an opportunity for Confession. Please bring a plate of finger food to share. Teas/coffees and soft drinks will be available.

GOOD COUNSEL NETWORK

On **Tuesday 14th August**, the Vigil of the Feast of the Assumption, please pray and fast for the end of abortion and euthanasia in this Country. Your prayer and fasting is urgently needed, and it really does save lives.

www.GoodCounselNetwork.com

PILGRIMAGES

PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO OUR LADY OF KNOCK, IRELAND

We are planning a pilgrimage to the Knock Shrine from **6th-9th September 2019**. The price per person is £499 including return transfer from Church, flight with hand luggage, all transfers, 3 nights hotel with breakfast and dinner. Single room supplement £100 for the 3 nights. Please see flyer on the noticeboard.

Booking Forms are now available in the porch. Please complete and return to Florie in the Parish Office. You need to have Travel Insurance in order to travel, the EHIC card is not sufficient.

ANNUAL DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM

The annual pilgrimage to Walsingham takes place on **Saturday 22nd September**. It will be led by Cardinal Vincent Nichols and other Auxiliary Bishops. The theme of the pilgrimage this year will centre on the World Meeting of Families in Dublin. There will be a special blessing for families and the family home. The day will include a pilgrim Mass, picnic lunch, rosary procession ending with prayers and Benediction in the Priory grounds. The cost per person is £20.00. Those who have expressed interest and signed your name, **to secure your seat please post your money in an envelope, clearly marked with your name and "WALSINGHAM", to Florie in the Parish Office.**

ST PAUL'S CATHOLIC COLLEGE

Open Day and Evening for Admission to Year 7 in 2019 will be held on **Thursday, 27th September 2018**, 8.45 am – 10.15 am, 11.00 am – 12.20 pm and 6.00 pm – 8.30 pm (tours last approximately 1 hour – no appointment necessary). Address by the Headteacher, James Mc Nulty at 6.45 pm and 7.30 pm. We look forward to welcoming you.

ARE YOU GOING INTO HOSPITAL?

If you know you are going to be admitted in to Hospital, please contact Fr John for the sacrament of the sick either at home, in the church or any other convenient place. If you find you are already in hospital, the nurses may not ask you your religious needs, please request to see a chaplain and inform him/her that you are a Roman Catholic and would like to see a Catholic chaplain.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 11 th	11.00 11.00 12.00 17.00 18.00	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Sacrament of Reconciliation John & Soccorina Pinheiro – Good Health Sacrament of Reconciliation Deceased members of the Hocking Family
Sun 12 th	09.00 11.00 13.00 15.00 18.00	In Thanksgiving – Rodrigues Family Patrick Maple (Intention) Mass in Polish (Msza sw.) Mass in Ukrainian People of the Parish
Mon 13 th	09.30	Aloysius Caldeira RIP
Tues 14 th	09.30	Adefolake Paulina Badejo RIP
Wed 15 th	09.30 12.15 19.30	Teresita Logarta in Thanksgiving Michael Doherty (RIP) Adefolake Paulina Badejo RIP
Thurs 16 th	09.30	Asuncion Leetai RIP
Fri 17 th	09.30	Kathleen Hourihan RIP (Anniversary)
Sat 18 th	11.00 11.00 12.00 17.00 18.00	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Sacrament of Reconciliation Deceased members of the O'Hanlon Family Sacrament of Reconciliation Deceased members of the Nguyen Family
Sun 19 th	09.00 11.00 13.00 18.00	David Edwards (Birthday Intention) Alice Deacon RIP Mass in Polish (Msza sw.) People of the Parish

Sanctuary Lamp: In thanksgiving Fernandes Family

Sunday Mass: 6pm (Vigil Mass), Sunday 9am, 11am, 1pm (Polish) & 6pm; Weekday Mass: Monday-Friday 9.30am; Saturday 12noon;
Morning Prayer: Monday-Friday 9.15am,
Novena to Our Lady: Tuesdays 10am;
Exposition and Benediction: Saturdays 11am;
Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession): Saturday 11am and 5pm

Thank you for your generosity in last week's collection:

4-5 August: Envelopes £860.60; Loose: £1,131.44;

Standing Orders: £845.00 **Total: £2,837.04**

Parish Centre Funds in July: £928.42